

SEASON REPORTS FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1886.

Shimoga District.

	I.	C.		I.	C.
<i>Rain.</i> —					
Shimoga	2	30	Sagar	1	50
Channagiri	3	90	Nagar	2	65
Honnali	2	41	Tirthahalli	2	10
Shikarpur	2	15	Kumsi	2	80
Sorab	0	85			

Thermometer.—The average readings of thermometer were 72·83 at 9-30 A. M., and 80·63 at 3-30 P. M.

Seeds sown.—Bengal-gram.

Crops harvested.—Paddy, ragi, kurasani, navane, same, jola, green gram, arecanut and cardamoms.

State of crops.—Good in almost all the taluks, excepting the portions bordering the Dharwar District.

Health.—Not good in all the taluks. Fever prevails much in Shimoga, Channagiri and Shikarpur Taluks.

Lands.—Lands assessed at Rs. 568—0—0 were taken up and those at Rs. 124—12—0 were relinquished.

Prices.—Stationary.

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Kadur District.

Rain-fall.—The rain-fall gauged at the District and Taluk Head-quarters during the month was as follows :—

Taluk.	I.	C.	Taluk.	I.	C.
Tarikere ..	3	60	Kadur	2	70
Koppa ..	2	20	Mudgere	1	24
Chikmagalur ..	2	69	Yedahalli	2	25

Thermometer.—The average readings of the thermometer at District Head-quarters were 63·23 at 6 A. M. and 68·46 at 6 P. M.

Seeds sown.—Bengal-gram in Tarikere, Chikmagalur and Kadur Taluks; cotton in Tarikere Taluk; wheat, garlic, coriander and fenugreek seed in Chikmagalur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Tarikere and Chikmagalur Taluks; ragi, sugar-cane, castor-oil seed, horse-gram and same in Kadur Taluk; coffee, arecanut and cardamom in parts of Koppa and Mudgere Taluks.

Condition of crops.—Good.

Prospects of season.—Encouraging.

Health.—Small-pox, fever and cough prevalent in Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks; fair in the Malnad.

Live-stock.—The condition of cattle was generally good. Murrain and foot disease, however, prevailed in parts of the Kadur Taluk. The total number of deaths among cattle during the month was 599 against 180 in the month previous. Water-supply and pasturage ample.

Lands.—Lands assessed at Rs. 850—8—0 were taken up for cultivation.

Prices.—Falling.

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